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SUBJECT: CIVIL AVIATION: NEW DOMINICAN PASSENGER ROUTE TO PUERTO

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REF: (A) SANTO DOMINGO A-56, (B) STATE 129178

- 1. GODR'S DIRECTORATE GENERAL OF CIVIL AVIATION (DGCA) INFORMED EMBOFF THAT AEROVIAS QUISQUEYANA UNDER AN EXISTING U.S. PERMIT OPERATES THE NEW INTERNATIONAL PASSENGER ROUTE FROM SANTIAGO, DR., TO SAN JUAN, PUERTO RICO (SEE REFAIR) IN BEHALF OF AEROLINEAS DOMINICANS.
- 2. QUISQUEYANA RENTS THE MARTIN 404, REGISTRATION NUMBER HI 285, SERIES NUMBER 14157, USED ON THE ROUTE FROM AEROLINEAS DOMINICANAS, IN ACCORDANCE WITH A THREE-YEAR CONTRACT SIGNED ON MARCH 18, 1977 MEETING THE APPROVAL OF DGCA. QUISQUEYANA PAYS AEROLINEAS DOMINICANAS RD\$300 PER FLIGHT HOUR, AND PROVIDES ALL SERVICING FOR THE PLANE, INCLUDING PILOTS. AEROLINEAS DOMINICANAS HAS ACCESS TO THE PLANE WHEN NOT IN USE BY QUISQUEYANA. ANY CHANGES IN SCHEDULING REQUIRE A 24-HOUR NOTICE.
- 3. AEROLINEAS DOMINICANAS RECEIVED A FIVE-YEAR CERTIFICATION FROM DGCA ON AUGUST 22, 1974, FOR NON-REGULARLY SCHEDULED DOMESTIC AND INTERNATIONAL PASSENGER AND CARGO SERVICE, BUT DGCA HAS NOT GIVEN THE CARRIER PERMISSION FOR REGULARLY SCHEDULED UNCLASSIFIED

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4. IN A TANGENTIAL MATTER, DGCA IS ALSO CONSIDERING A COMPLAINT OF THE COMPANIA DOMINICANA DE AVICION (CDA), THE STATE-OWNED AIRLINE, ABOUT THE CONFUSION CAUSED BY AEROLINEAS DOMINICANAS' NAME. THE LITERAL ENGLISH TRANSLATION OF LATTER IS DOMINICAN AIRLINES, A NAME WHICH CDA FEELS BECAME ITS GENERIC ENGLISH

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